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In re Appln. of: LAWRENCE OSKIELUNAS ET AL.

Appln. No.: 09/925,758

Filed: August 9, 2001

For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF  
MANUFACTURE FOR AUCTIONING IN A  
DATA NETWORK ENVIRONMENT

Examiner: Nguyen, Nga

Art Unit: 3628

Attorney Docket No: 10022/434

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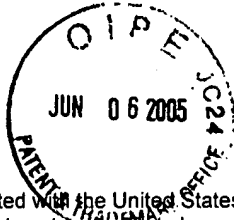
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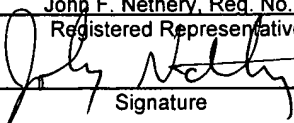
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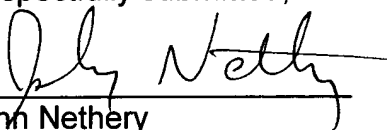
Dear Sir:

Assignee Accenture Global Services GmbH submits the enclosed power of attorney for this application, including a statement under 3.73(b). Because the power of attorney lists more than 10 practitioners, Assignee provides the following list of the ten practitioners to be recognized:

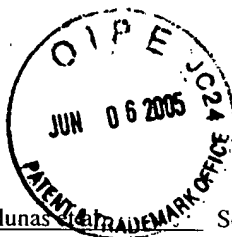
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Inventor(s): Oskielunas Serial No: 09/925,758 Case No: 10022-434 Filing Date: 08/ 09/2001

Title: A SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR AUCTIONING IN A DATA NETWORK ENVIRONMENT

**U.S. POWER OF ATTORNEY  
FOR ACCENTURE GLOBAL SERVICES GmbH**

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☒ **A Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is attached.**

Signature: Wayne P. Sobon

Name: Wayne P. Sobon

Title: Manager and Director of Intellectual Property

Who is duly authorized to sign on behalf of AGS by the attached Corporate Certificate

Signed at: Palo Alto on this 9th day of March, 2004.

### Corporation Certificate

I hereby certify that **Accenture Global Services GmbH** of 27 Stadthausgasse, Schaffhausen, Switzerland, is a limited liability company organized as judicial person under the laws of Switzerland and that since January 30 (thirtieth), 2001 (two thousand and one) **Wayne P. Sobon**, citizen of the United States, residing in Palo Alto (CA), is a lawful representative of said judicial person and is authorized to execute any legal document on behalf of said judicial person in particular in all Trademark, Patent and other Intellectual property related matters.

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**CHAIN OF TITLE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Inventor(s): Lawrence Oskielunas et al.

Serial No.: 09/925,758 Patent No.: N/A Case No.: 10022/434 Filing Date: August 9, 2001

Title: System, Method and Article of Manufacture for Auctioning in a Data Network Environment

Assignee: Accenture Global Services GmbH, a limited liability company organized as a judicial person under the laws of Switzerland.

Accenture Global Services GmbH is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest of at least six of the eight (75%) named inventors in the patent application identified above as evidenced by:

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The undersigned attorney is registered with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and is empowered to sign this Statement on behalf of Accenture Global Services GmbH.

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